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SUBJ: ITU POST IN ANTIGUA OFFERED T.J. MEEK

1. ITU ASKES IF T.J. MEEK WOULD BE AVAILABLE IN OBTOBER TO ASSUME NON-ADVERTISED POST (ANT-501/OPAS) OF TELEPHONE MANAGER, ANTIGUA PUBLIC UTILITIES AUTHORITY FOR ONE YEAR ON INTERMEDIATE TERM CONTRACT?

DUTY STATION WOULD BE ST. JOHN'S BUT OFFICER WOULD BE REQUIRED TO UNDERTAKE OFFICIAL TRAVEL IN ANTIGUA AND DEPENDENT ISLAND OF BARBUDA.

2. DUTIES OF MANAGER ARE: A) SUPERVISE OPERATION OF TELEPHONE DEPT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES AUTHORITY UNDER DIRECT SUPERVISION OF GENERAL

MANAGER; B) ADVISE AUTHORITY IN TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS; C) TRAIN STAFF OF TELEPHONE SERVICE INCLUDING IF REQUIRED ANY OTHER DUTY WHICH MAY BE ASSIGNED TO HIM BY MANAGER OF AUTHORITY.

3. AS BACKGROUND ANTIGUA PUBLIC UTILITIES AUTHORITY IS DIVIDED INTO THREE DIVISIONS: ELECTRICITY, WATER AND TELEPHONE. TELPHONE SYSTEM AUTOMATED IN 1970 BY INSTALLATION OF PENTACONTA CROSSBAR SYSTEM BY CABLE AND WIRELESS (WEST INDIES) LTD. TELEPHONE DEPT CURRENTLY HEADED BY EXPATRIATE THROUGH CONTRACT WITH CABLE AND WIRELESS (WEST INDIES) LTD. WHICH DUE TO EXPIRE IN SEPT. 1974. A NATIONAL OF ANTIGUA, CURRENTLY SERVING AS ASST. MANAGER OF TELEPHONE DEPT., IS EXPECTED TO ASSUME POST OF MANAGER FOLLOWING COMPLETION OF NINE MONTH TRAINING PROGRAM IN 1974-75. DURING PERIOD BETWEEN EXPATRIATE'S
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DEPARTURE (SEPT 1974) AND RETURN OF ASSISTANT MANAGER FROM

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TRAINING ABROAD SOME TIME IN SECOND HALF OF 1975, OPAS
TELEPHONE MANGER WILL BE IN CHARGE OF TELEPHONE DEPT.

4. PLEASE ADVISE SOONEST.DALE

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